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SUBJECT: PHILIPPINES: UPDATES TO NAMES, TITLES AND CONTACT NUMBERS  
FOR LEADING GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS

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11. Country: Republic of the Philippines  
Date: May 30, 2008

Head of Government:  
Last/Family Name: MACAPAGAL-ARROYO  
First/Middle Names: GLORIA  
Conventional Usage: PRESIDENT ARROYO  
Formal Title: President of the Republic of the Philippines  
Office Telephone Numbers: (632) 736-8622; (632) 736-8608 (8:00 a.m.  
TO 5:00 p.m.)  
After-Hours Official Numbers:  
Residence Telephone Numbers: (63) 906-3147915 (Sonya, assistant at  
residence)  
Cell Phone Numbers: (63) 906-3147915 (Sonya)  
Comments: English language ability is excellent.

Foreign Minister:  
Last/Family Name: ROMULO  
First/Middle Names: ALBERTO  
Conventional Usage: SECRETARY ROMULO  
Formal Title: Secretary of Foreign Affairs  
Office Telephone Numbers: (632) 8347374  
After-Hours Official Numbers: (632) 8344015 or 8344016 or 8343145;  
(632) 5510445 (Mildred Bacarro, secretary)  
Residence Telephone Numbers: (632) 6374033 or (632) 6310317  
Cell Phone Numbers: (63) 918-9135016 (aide)  
Comments: English language ability is excellent.

Executive Secretary:  
Last/Family Name: ERMITA  
First/Middle Names: EDUARDO  
Conventional Usage:  
Formal Title: Executive Secretary  
Office Telephone Numbers: (632) 7332485; (632) 7333010 (Pat Habulan,  
secretary)  
After-Hours Official Numbers:  
Residence Telephone Numbers: (632) 8176704  
Cell Phone Numbers: (63) 917-8622513; (63) 917-8172151 (aide on  
duty)  
Comments: English language ability is excellent.

Secretary of Defense:  
Last/Family Name: TEODORO, JR.  
First/Middle Names: GILBERTO  
Conventional Usage:  
Formal Title: Secretary of National Defense  
Office Telephone Numbers: (632) 9111746 or (632) 9129281  
Also (632) 9114583 or (632) 9124212 (senior military assistant  
Commodore Alexander Pama)  
After-Hours Official Numbers: (632) 917-8986209 (senior military  
assistant Commodore Alexander Pama); (632) 9117907

Cell Phone Numbers:

Comments: English language ability is excellent.

Chief of Staff, Armed Forces of the Philippines:

Last/Family Name: YANO

First/Middle Names: LT. GENERAL ALEXANDER

Conventional Usage:

Formal Title: Chief of Staff, Armed Forces of the Philippines

Office Telephone Numbers: (632) 9116436 or (632) 9117907

After-Hours Official Numbers: (632) 9117907

Cell Phone Numbers: (63) 917-5587261 (aide)

Comments: English language ability is excellent.